

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/613,339 § Examiner: Elisca, Pierre E.  
Filed: July 10, 2000 § Group/Art Unit: 3621  
Inventors: § Atty. Dkt. No: 5596-00300  
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Title: System and Method for Negotiating Improved Terms for Products and Services Being Purchased Through the Internet

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In view of the new grounds of rejection stated in the Supplemental Examiner's Answer of September 22, 2009, Applicant requests that prosecution be reopened.

Please amend the case as listed below.